

T O T H E
Q U E E N ' S
Most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble ADDRESS of the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Dublin, Provost and Fellows of Trinity-College, Dublin, together with the Doctors and Masters of the said University in Congregation Assembled, April 19, 1711.

Dread **SOVEREIGN,**

AS no Part of Your Majesty's Dominions has receiv'd more Benefits and Advantages from Your Royal Favour and Protection than We have done; so while Our Fellow-Subjects of *Great-Britain* Labour to exceed each other in their Dutiful Addresses, who live more immediately under the Happy Influence of Your Majesty's Government, We should think our Selves extreamly wanting in our Gratitude and Duty, if even at this Distance We omitted this Publick Occasion of Expressing also Our Unfeigned Loyalty and Fidelity to Your Majesty, and Our Thankfulness to Almighty God for the good Effects of Your Wise Administration.

We Acknowledge Your Majesty's Right to Rule over Us to be **HEREDITARY**, and profess our utter Abhorrence and Detestation of all **REPUBLICAN** and **DETHRONING** Principles, which would deprive Us of the Blessings We now Enjoy, and distinguish away that Obedience, which the Laws of God and Man under the Strictest Penalties declare to be due to Your Royal Person and Government.

We shall make it our Business in our several Stations to Teach and Maintain such Doctrines only as shall be agreeable to the Word of God, and Our most Excellent Constitution both in Church and State, being firmly perswaded that any other Principles whatsoever, which We must confess have been of late too much Encouraged in this Kingdom, by the Malice and Artifice of Crafty and Designing Men, are highly Dangerous to Your Majesty's Government, Our Established Church, Our Civil Rights, and the Protestant Succession in the Illustrious House of *Hannover*; all which we are resolved to Maintain and Support Inviolably.

We bless God for the timely Discovery and Prevention of that Horrid Conspiracy, which seems to have been intended against Your Majesty's Person, but took Effect only in the Barbarous Assault upon One of Your Ministry, who has always Eminently Distinguished Himself by his Zeal for Your Service, and his Avowed Opposition to all the Abettors of Popery and Faction.

Amongst all the other Instances of Your Majesty's Gracious Inclinations towards Us, and all the Blessings which are under God derived to Us by the prudent Choice and Fidelity of Your Ministry, the Great and Glorious Success of Your Arms, and the Great Wisdom of Your Councils, We of this *University*, are Particularly Bound Gratefully to Acknowledge Your Majesty's Goodness to this Kingdom, in Appointing our present Chancellour, His Grace the Duke of **ORMOND**, again to Preside over it.

May Almighty God long preserve Your Majesty's most invaluable Life for the Comfort and Support of our Establish'd Church, of which You are so bright an Ornament, and so Glorious a Defender.